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**TRANSLATION OF THE ANNEXES TO THE
PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION REPORT
(ARTICLE 19 AMENDMENTS)**

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Sir:

REQUEST FOR SUBSTITUTION OF REPLACEMENT SHEETS

Please substitute the attached replacement sheets 22-24 of the claims containing the translation of the Article 19 Amendments for sheets 22-24 of the claims in the enclosed translation of the as-filed PCT application. It is respectfully requested that the claims in the substitute sheets be examined during examination of the patent application. As a result, claims 1, 3-6 and 8-10 will be pending.

Respectfully submitted,

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CLAIMS

1. (Amended) A display method of displaying a plurality of images in a reduced size on a screen, comprising the steps of:

 storing said plurality of images to each of which a related time is added,

 establishing a time axis on the screen,

 disposing each image in the vicinity of a position on said time axis corresponding to the time added to each image,

 displaying each image in order and at intervals corresponding to the time, and

 displaying only part not overlapped of a display area of each image, when each image disposed in the vicinity of said time axis overlaps with a display area of another image having adjacent time on said time axis.

2. (Deleted)

3. A display method according to claim 1,

 wherein each image displayed along said time axis is displayed as an oblique image having a predetermined angle to the screen.

4. A display method according to claim 1,

 wherein intervals between a plurality of disposed images

are made variable by changing a scale of said time axis based on a predetermined operation.

5. A display method according to claim 1,
wherein the time added to each image is the date and time
when the image is picked up.

6. (Amended) A display apparatus comprising:
storage means for storing a plurality of image data to
each of which a related time is added,
display means for displaying images based on the image
data stored in said storage means, and
display processing means for establishing a time axis on
the screen displayed in said display means, for disposing each
image in the vicinity of a position on said time axis
corresponding to the time added to each image stored in said
storage means, and for displaying each image in order and at
intervals corresponding to the time,
wherein when each image disposed in the vicinity of said
time axis overlaps with a display area of another image having
an adjacent time on said time axis, said display processing
means display only part not overlapped of a display area of each
image.

7. (Deleted)

8. A display apparatus according to claim 6,
wherein said display processing means display each image
along said time axis as an oblique image having a predetermined
angle to the screen.

9. A display apparatus according to claim 6,
wherein based on predetermined instructions, said display
processing means change intervals between a plurality of
disposed images by changing a scale of said time axis.

10. A display apparatus according to claim 6, wherein
the time added to each image stored in said storage means
is the date and time when the image is picked up.